

Donnelly (IN) Kline (MN) Petri Wasserman Welch Wolf  
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Dreier Kratochvil Pitts Waters Wexler Wu  
Driehaus Kucinich Platts Watson Whitfield Yarmuth  
Duncan Lamborn Poe (TX) Watt Wilson (OH) Young (AK)  
Edwards (MD) Lance Polis (CO) Waxman Wilson (SC) Young (FL)  
Edwards (TX) Langevin Pomeroy Weiner Wittman  
Ehlers Larsen (WA) Posey  
Ellison Larson (CT) Price (GA)  
Ellsworth Price (NC)  
Emerson Putnam  
Engel Latta Quigley  
Eshoo Lee (CA) Radanovich  
Etheridge Lee (NY) Rahall  
Fallin Levin Rangel  
Farr Lewis (CA) Rehberg  
Fattah Linder Reichert  
Filner Lipinski Reyes  
Flake LoBiondo Richardson  
Fleming Lofgren, Zoe Rodriguez  
Forbes Lowey Roe (TN)  
Fortenberry Lucas Rogers (AL)  
Foster Luetkemeyer Rogers (KY)  
Foxy Luján Rogers (MI)  
Frank (MA) Lummis Rohrabacher  
Franks (AZ) Lungren, Daniel Rooney  
Frelinghuysen E. Ros-Lehtinen  
Fudge Lynch Roskam  
Gallegly Maffei Ross  
Garrett (NJ) Maloney Rothman (NJ)  
Gerlach Manzullo Roybal-Allard  
Giffords Marchant Royce  
Gingrey (GA) Markey (CO) Rush  
Gohmert Markey (MA) Ryan (OH)  
Goodlatte Marshall Ryan (WI)  
Gordon (TN) Massa Salazar  
Granger Matheson Sanchez, Loretta  
Graves Matsui Sarbanes  
Grayson McCarthy (CA) Scalise  
Green, Al McCarthy (NY) Schakowsky  
Green, Gene McCaul Schauer  
Griffith McClintock Schiff  
Grijalva McCollum Schmidt  
Guthrie McCotter Schock  
Gutierrez McDermott Schrader  
Hall (NY) McGovern Schwartz  
Hall (TX) McHenry Scott (GA)  
Halvorson McHugh Scott (VA)  
Hare McIntyre Sensenbrenner  
Harman McKeon Serrano  
Harper McMahon Sessions  
Hastings (FL) McMorris Sestak  
Hastings (WA) Rodgers Shadegg  
Heinrich McNeerney Shea-Porter  
Heller Meek (FL) Sherman  
Hensarling Meeks (NY) Shimkus  
Herger Melancon Shuler  
Herseth Sandlin Mica Shuster  
Higgins Michaud Shusterson  
Hill Miller (FL) Simpson  
Himes Miller (MI) Sires  
Hinchey Miller (NC) Skelton  
Hinojosa Miller, Gary Slaughter  
Hirono Miller, George Smith (NE)  
Hodes Minnick Smith (NJ)  
Hoekstra Mitchell Smith (TX)  
Holden Mollohan Smith (WA)  
Holt Moore (KS) Snyder  
Honda Moore (WI) Souder  
Hoyer Moran (KS) Space  
Hunter Moran (VA) Speier  
Inglis Murphy (CT) Spratt  
Inslee Murphy (NY) Stark  
Israel Murphy, Patrick Stearns  
Issa Murphy, Tim Stupak  
Jackson (IL) Murtha Sutton  
Jackson-Lee Myrick Tanner  
(TX) Nadler (NY) Tauscher  
Jenkins Napolitano Taylor  
Johnson (GA) Neal (MA) Teague  
Johnson (IL) Neugebauer Terry  
Johnson, E. B. Nunes Thompson (CA)  
Johnson, Sam Nye Thompson (MS)  
Jones Oberstar Thompson (PA)  
Jordan (OH) Obey Thornberry  
Kagen Olson Tiahrt  
Kanjorski Oliver Tiberi  
Kaptur Ortiz Tierney  
Kildee Pallone Titus  
Kilpatrick (MI) Pascrell Tonko  
Kilroy Pastor (AZ) Towns  
Kind Paul Tsongas  
King (IA) Paulsén Turner  
King (NY) Payne Upton  
Kingston Pence Van Hollen  
Kirk Perlmutter Velázquez  
Kirkpatrick (AZ) Perriello Visclosky  
Kissell Peters Walden  
Klein (FL) Peterson Walz  
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## NOT VOTING—10

Bono Mack Lewis (GA) Sánchez, Linda  
Buyer Loebbsack T.  
Gonzalez Mack Sullivan  
Kennedy Ruppertsberger

## ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members have 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

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So (two-thirds being in the affirmative), the rules were suspended and the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Mrs. Wanda Evans, one of his secretaries.

## RECOGNIZING 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF NATIONAL CENTER FOR MISSING AND EXPLOITED CHILDREN

Mr. TONKO. Madam Speaker, I move to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution (H. Res. 454) recognizing the 25th anniversary of the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The text of the resolution is as follows:

## H. RES. 454

Whereas an estimated 800,000 children are reported missing each year in the United States;

Whereas 200,000 of that number are abducted by family members, and 58,000 are abducted by non-family members, for which the primary motive is sexual assault;

Whereas each year 115 children are the victims of the most serious abductions, kidnapped by non-family members and either ransomed, murdered, or taken with the intent to keep;

Whereas the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children (NCMEC) serves as the national resource center and information clearinghouse for missing and exploited children;

Whereas NCMEC was established by Congress in 1984;

Whereas NCMEC has assisted law enforcement in the recovery of more than 138,500 children;

Whereas NCMEC's Amber Alert program has led to 443 recoveries;

Whereas in 2008, NCMEC helped recover more children than any other year in the organization's 25-year history, raising the recovery rate from 62 percent in 1990 to 97 percent today;

Whereas NCMEC operates the toll-free 24-hour national missing children's hotline, which has handled more than 2,377,000 calls;

Whereas NCMEC provides assistance to families and law enforcement agencies in lo-

cating and recovering missing and exploited children, both nationally and internationally;

Whereas NCMEC offers technical assistance and training to law enforcement in identifying and locating non-compliant sex offenders;

Whereas NCMEC has a team of forensic artists who create age progression photos, which has assisted in the successful recovery of 895 children;

Whereas NCMEC CyberTipline has handled more than 686,000 reports;

Whereas NCMEC's Child Victim Identification Program has reviewed and analyzed 23,000,000 child pornography images and videos, 8,600,000 in 2008 alone;

Whereas NCMEC's sex offender tracking team has already located 402 missing sex offenders;

Whereas NCMEC operates a child victim identification program to assist law enforcement in identifying victims of child pornography;

Whereas NCMEC develops and disseminates programs and information about Internet safety and the prevention of child abduction and sexual exploitation;

Whereas NCMEC facilitates the deployment of the National Emergency Child Locator Center during periods of national disasters; and

Whereas NCMEC deploys Team Adam, a rapid response and support system comprised of retired law enforcement officers, to provide on-site technical assistance to local law enforcement agencies investigating cases of child abduction and sexual exploitation: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That the House of Representatives recognizes the 25th anniversary of the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mrs. KIRKPATRICK of Arizona). Pursuant to the rule, the gentleman from New York (Mr. TONKO) and the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. PLATTS) each will control 20 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from New York.

## GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. TONKO. Madam Speaker, I request 5 legislative days during which Members may revise and extend their remarks and insert extraneous material on H. Res. 454.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from New York?

There was no objection.

Mr. TONKO. Madam Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Madam Speaker, I rise today in support of House Resolution 454, which recognizes the 25th anniversary of the National Center For Missing and Exploited Children. The NCMEC serves as the national resource center for missing and exploited children.

It is estimated that 800,000 children are reported missing every year in the United States. Two hundred thousand of that number are abducted by family members, and 58,000 are abducted by nonfamily members, for which the primary motive is sexual assault. It is with great sadness that this national tragedy continues year after year.

We recognize today the National Center's persistent efforts in reuniting families and stopping the abuse and exploitation of our children. During its